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Atty's Docket No. :101195-24
Eckhart, et al.**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION**

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I m.o.**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

SERIAL NO.	09/817,387
APPLICANT	Eckart Matthes et al.
FILED	March 26, 2001
EXAMINER	J. Epps
ART UNIT	1635
FOR	CHIMERIC OLIGONUCLEOTIDES AND THE USE THEREOF

Hon. Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR1.136(a))**

Sir:

1. This is a petition to extend the period of time one (1) month for filing a response to the Office Action dated

2. Applicant is: **SMALL ENTITY**

<u>EXTENSION (MONTHS)</u>	<u>FEE FOR LARGE ENTITY</u>	<u>FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY</u>
One month <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	\$110	\$55
Two months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$410	\$205
Three months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$930	\$465
Four months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,450	\$725
Five months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,970	\$985
TOTAL FEE \$55.00		

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4. A Response to the Restriction Requirement is filed herewith.

5. Charge the petition fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1263 and for any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid. A duplicate of this petition is attached.

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